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1. Production during June 1953 at Boehlen

Gasoline	6,361.2	metric tons
Aviation fuel (AT)	1,970.8	" "
Jet fuel (Mittelbenzin)	7,106.5	" "
Diesel fuel	2,739.4	" "

	<u>18,177.9</u>	" "
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2. Production difficulties

As a result of the stoppages in the plant on 16 - 17 June and the five following days, production for the month was considerably below normal. This underproduction is likely to continue for some time (although not to the same extent), since the disturbances in other parts of East Germany have caused shortages in the supply of spare parts and replacements which will effect the efficiency of the plant. No sabotage took place at Boehlen during the disturbances, although the injection nozzles were all removed as a safety precaution.

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